## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

NANCY BROWN, Individually and as Special Administrator for the Estate of JOHN BROWN, Deceased,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 13-CV-511

WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES, a division of the State of Wisconsin and a Wisconsin group medical benefits program Representative of Estate of JOHN BROWN, Deceased,

Involuntary Plaintiff,

v.

WAYNE BLANCHARD, in his individual capacity, and WALWORTH COUNTY, WISCONSIN,

Defendants.

#### DEFENDANT'S PROPOSED SPECIAL VERDICT

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Pursuant to the Court's Scheduling Order, the defendants, Wayne Blanchard and Walworth County, by their attorneys, Crivello Carlson, S.C., hereby submit the attached proposed special verdict in the above-captioned matter. Defendants note that some of these instructions may become unnecessary, and that others may need to be added as events unfold at trial.

### Dated this 12th day of December, 2016.

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### I. LIABILITY PHASE 1

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#### DEFENDANT'S PROPOSED SPECIAL VERDICT

WE, THE JURY, having been duly impaneled and sworn to try the case, for our verdict find as follows:

### $\underline{\textbf{Use of Force}}$

Question No. 1: Did Deputy Wayne Blanchard use force that was unreasonable from the perspective of a reasonable officer facing the same circumstances that Deputy Blanchard faced?

	(Yes or No)	
Dated this	day of	, 2016.
		Jury Foreperson

## II. LIABILITY PHASE 2; if necessary III.

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WE, THE JURY, having been duly impaneled and sworn to try the case, for our verdict find as follows:

### **Municipal Liability**

Question No. 1: As of the time of the incident on May 4, 2012, did
Walworth County fail to train its Deputies with respect to responding to suicide
calls such that it was deliberately indifferent to the rights of its citizens?
Answer:( Yes or No)
Question No. 2: If the jury's answer to Question 1 is "Yes," then answer
this question; otherwise do not answer it. Was such failure to train the moving
force that caused John Brown's death?
Answer:( Yes or No)
Dated this day of, 2016.
Jury Foreperson

### IV. DAMAGES PHASE; if necessary

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#### DEFENDANT'S PROPOSED SPECIAL VERDICT

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WE, THE JURY, having been duly impaneled and sworn to try the case, for our verdict find as follows:

**Question No. 1:** What sum of money will fairly and reasonably compensate the Estate of John Brown for the damages sustained as a natural consequence of such constitutional violations as you have found, with respect to the following:

A. Funeral Expenses	\$	_
B. Loss of John Brown's life:	\$	_
Dated this day of	, 2016.	
Jury Foreperson		